

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Public Services – Criminal case registered against Sri D.Pandu Ranga Prasad, formerly Private Secretary to Chief Secretary to Government – Convicted by the Special Judge for the Trial of offences under SC, ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act-cum-VI Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge, Secunderabad – Dismissal from Service - Orders -Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.02,

Dated: 01-01-2009.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.327, General Administration (OP.IV) Department, dated: 17-07-2006.
2. From Sri D.Pandu Ranga Prasad, formerly Private Secretary to Govt., representation dated:10-01-2007.
3. G.O. Rt. No.3801, General Administration (SC.D) Department, dated: 30-06-2007.
4. Judgement of the VI Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge-cum-Special Court for SC, ST (PoA) Act, Secunderabad in Special Sessions Case No.14/2007 dated 11.02.2008.

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ORDER :-

In the G.O.1st read above, Sri D.Pandu Ranga Prasad, formerly Private Secretary to Chief Secretary to Government was placed under suspension in view of his detention in custody beyond 48 hours in connection with certain offences under Section 420, 506 IPC and Section 3(1)(x) of SC, ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act,1989 until conclusion of disciplinary proceedings or termination of all proceedings relating to the criminal charge under Rule 8(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2) Subsequently, Sri D.Pandu Ranga Prasad was reinstated into service without prejudice to the criminal proceedings pending against him, vide G.O.3rd read above.

3) In the reference 4th read above, the Special Judge for the Trial of offences under SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act-cum-VIth Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge, Secunderabad in his Judgement in Special Sessions Case No.14/07 dated 11.02.2008 found the accused Sri D.Panduranga Prasad guilty for the offences under Sec.3(1)(X) of SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act and convicted him under Section 235(2) Cr.PC and sentenced him to undergo Rigorous Imprisonment for six months and to pay a fine of Rs.2,000/-, in default of one month simple imprisonment to meet the ends of justice.

4) Sri D.Panduranga Prasad has submitted a representation dated 26-8-2008 stating that he filed an appeal before the High Court of Andhra Pradesh against the Judgement of the Trial Court and the High Court in its interim orders in CrI.A.No.203/08 dated 22.02.2008 suspended the sentence of imprisonment imposed on him and requested not to initiate any action against him till the disposal of the appeal by the High Court.

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5) Government have carefully examined the entire matter in the light of the Judgement of the VIth Additional Metropolitan Sessions Judge-cum-Special Court for SC, ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, Secunderabad in Special S.C.No.14 of 2007 dated 11.02.2008 and observe that the conviction is not stayed by the High Court in the criminal appeal filed by him but only sentence imposed on him has been suspended and according to rule 25(i) of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 Sri D.Panduranga Prasad, formerly Private Secretary to Chief Secretary to Government is liable for imposition of a penalty on the ground of conduct which has led to his conviction on a criminal charge; and decided to dismiss him from service for his conviction in the above case.

6) Accordingly, Government hereby dismiss Sri D.Panduranga Prasad, formerly Private Secretary to Chief Secretary to Government from Government service under rule 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 read with rule 9 of the said rules and circular instructions issued vide Memo.No.1621/Spl.B/01-1, General Administration (Special-B) Department, dated 26-11-2001 and G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Services-C) Department, dated 04.01.1999 without prejudice to the final outcome of criminal appeal filed by him before the High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

7) The General Administration (SU) Department shall take necessary action, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P.RAMAKANTH REDDY
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri D.Pandu Ranga Prasad, Private Secretary to Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Commission for Backward Classes, Hyderabad.

The Member Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Commission for Backward Classes, 8th Floor, Chandravihar, Hyderabad.

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